ROBERT LAND ACADEMY

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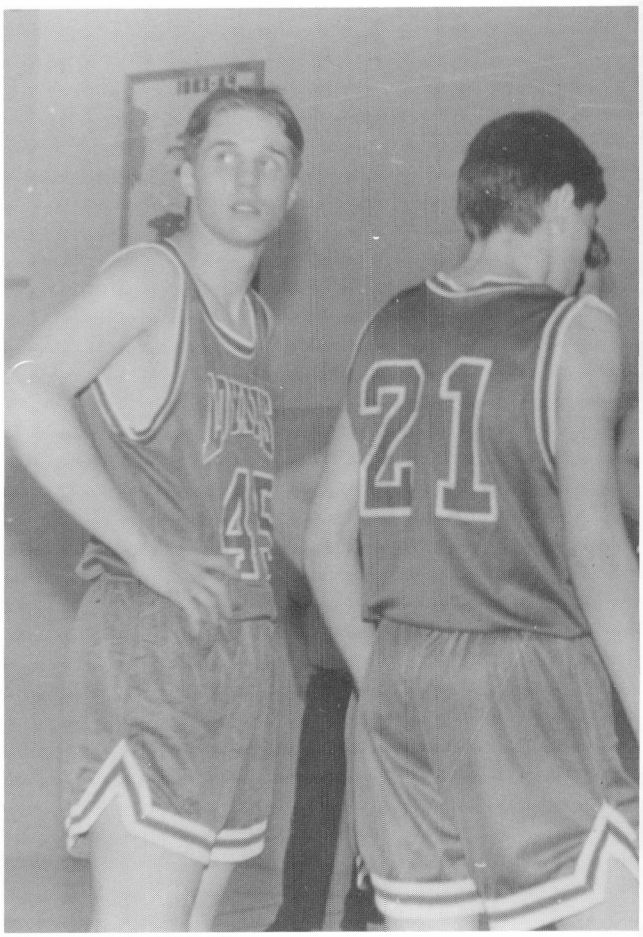
Headmaster
MAJOR SCOTT BOWMAN

Assistant Headmaster
CAPTAIN SCOTT HAYTER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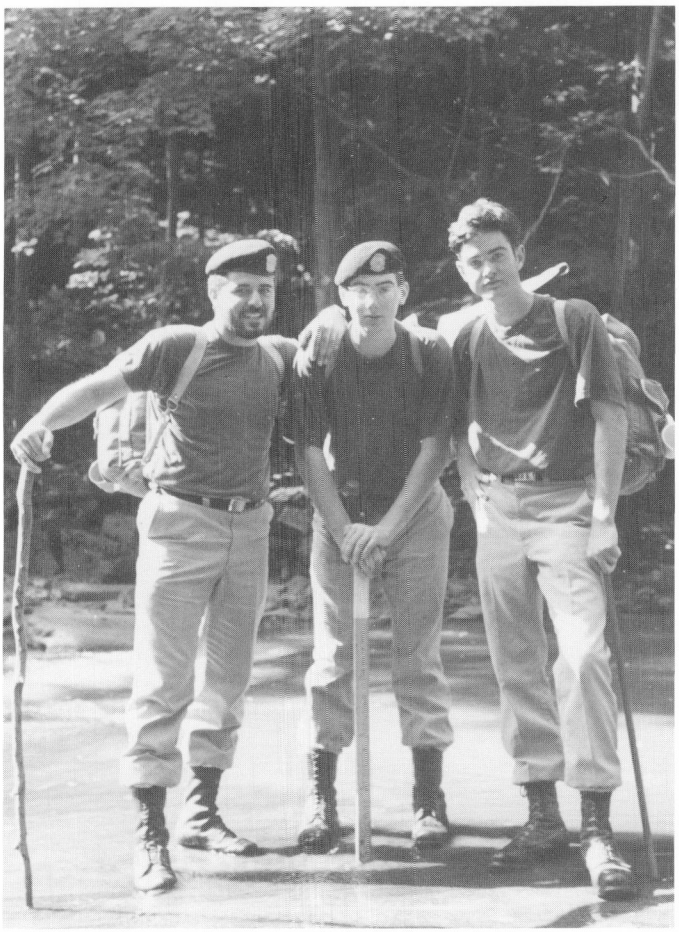


HEADMASTER'S ADDRESS

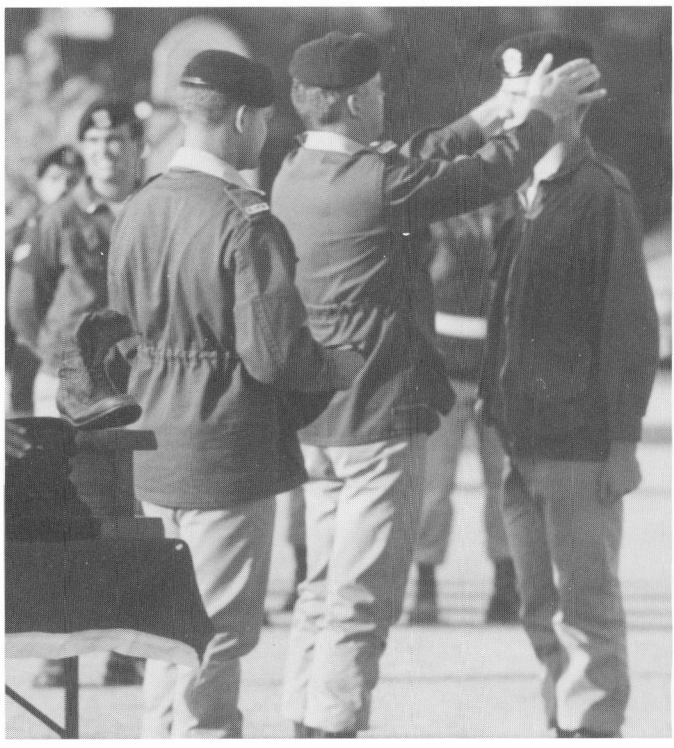
It is often those times of greatest challenge that pave the way for growth. Robert Land Academy, known as the ''school of hard knocks'', has and will continue to present this challenge to you, our youth of today. To each and every Cadet, you should feel very proud, as we do, of your accomplishments this past year - academically, emotionally, spiritually and physically. Through LOYALTY, LABOUR, COURAGE, COMMITMENT AND HONOUR, may you continue to meet the challenge and be the best you can be as our leaders of tomorrow.

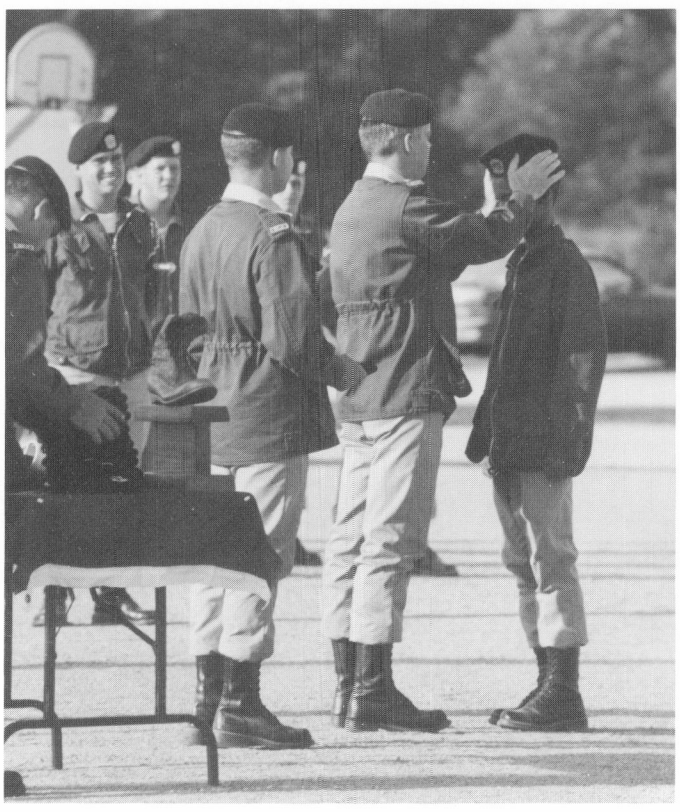
To Cadets and their families, Board of Governors, Senators, faculty and friends, I truly thank each and every one of you for your contribution, dedication and continued support of Robert Land Academy. Each of you in your own way have contributed to the success of Robert Land Academy and its dedication to the future.

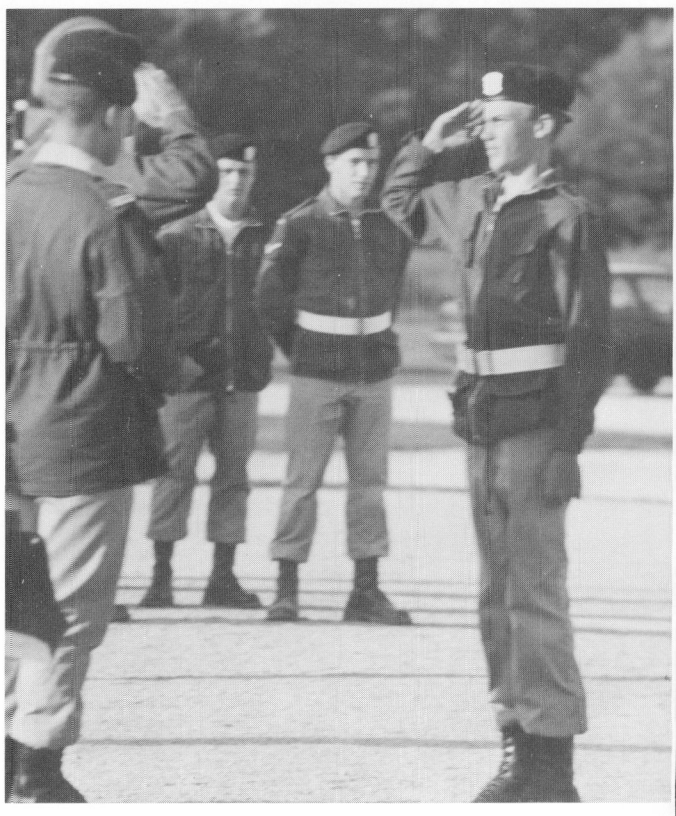
As we enter our 15th year, for those Cadets who are returning, we look forward to another exciting and fulfilling academic year. To those of you who are graduating, I wish all the very best and continued success in your endeavours.

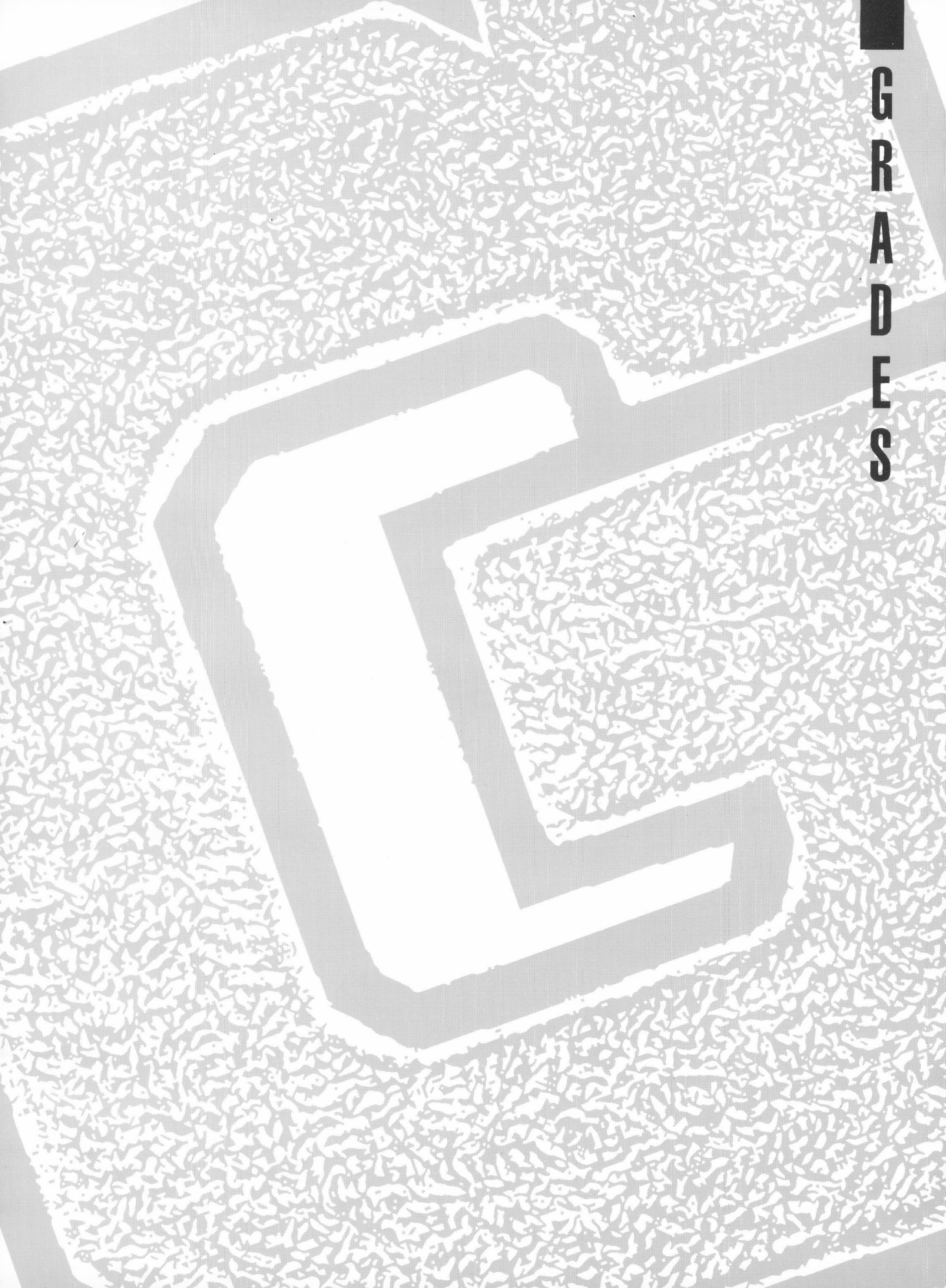
G. Scott Bowman, B.A., CD, KH, UE
(Maj)
Headmaster

CADET BADGING



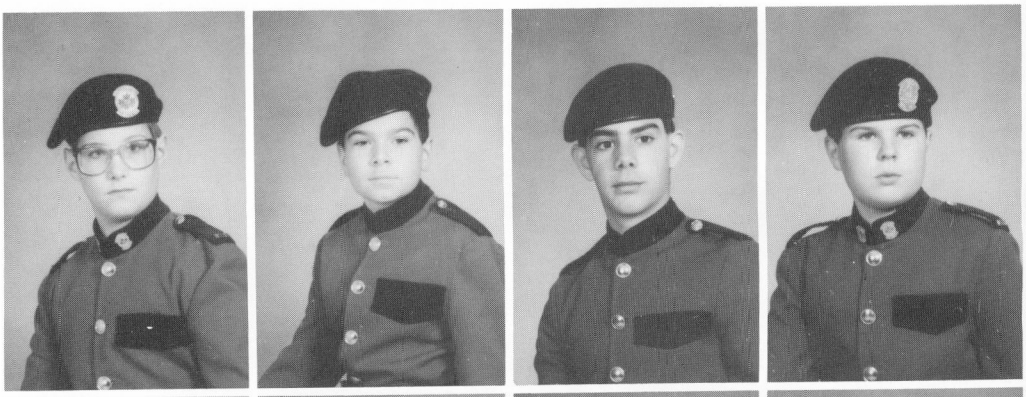





GRADES

8th Grade

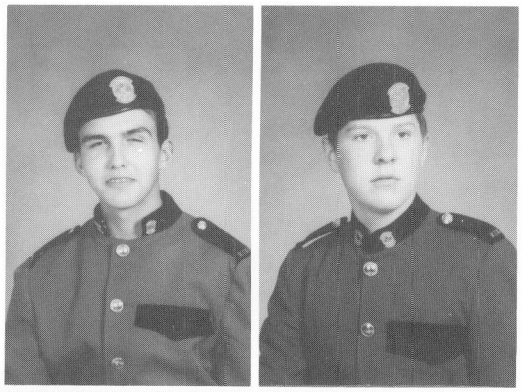
Fraser Eales
Steven Gallant
David Gemakas
Gregory Hart



Sean Leggett
Craig McDonald
Graham McNeill
Jason Menegon

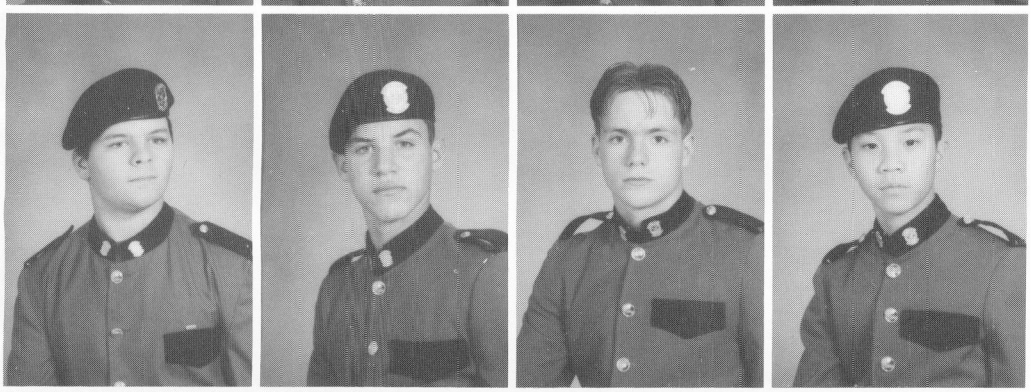
David Partridge
Gregory Phippen

9th Grade



Emanuel Bedard
Duncan Bowie

Ryan Claus
David Edgecombe
Marc Ghali
Mitchell Gilmore



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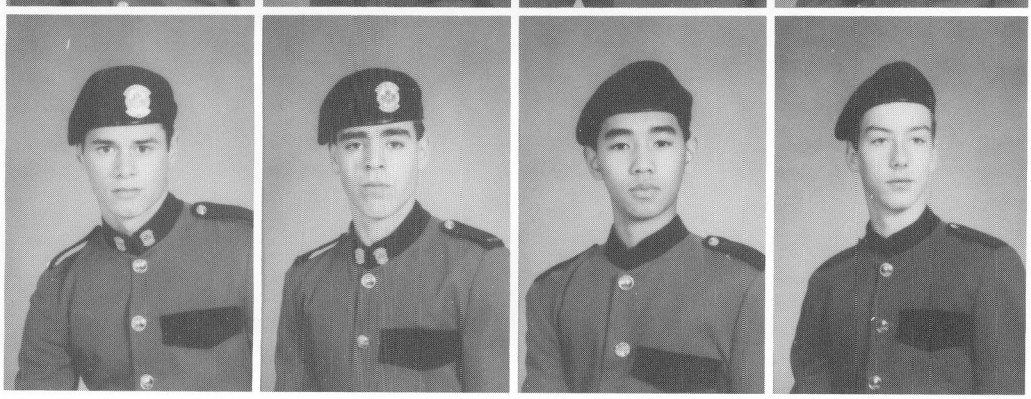
Alex Jodoin
Jeremy King
Edwin Liu

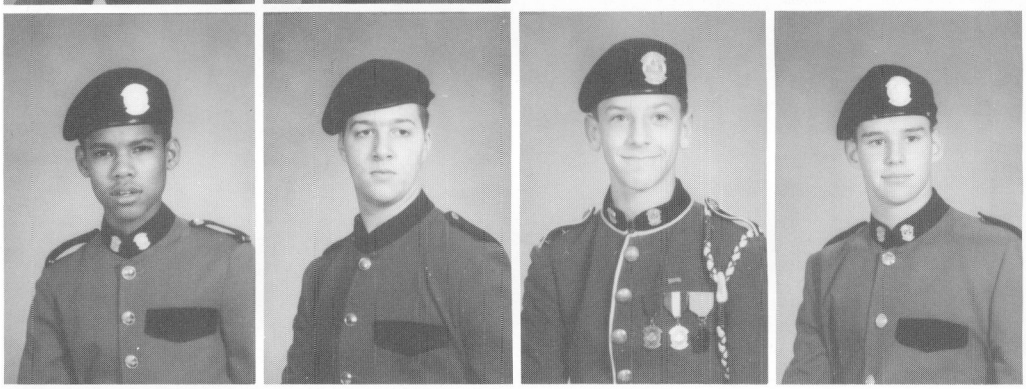


Robert Maclaran
Willie Madigan
Quan Mai
Ryan Mitchell

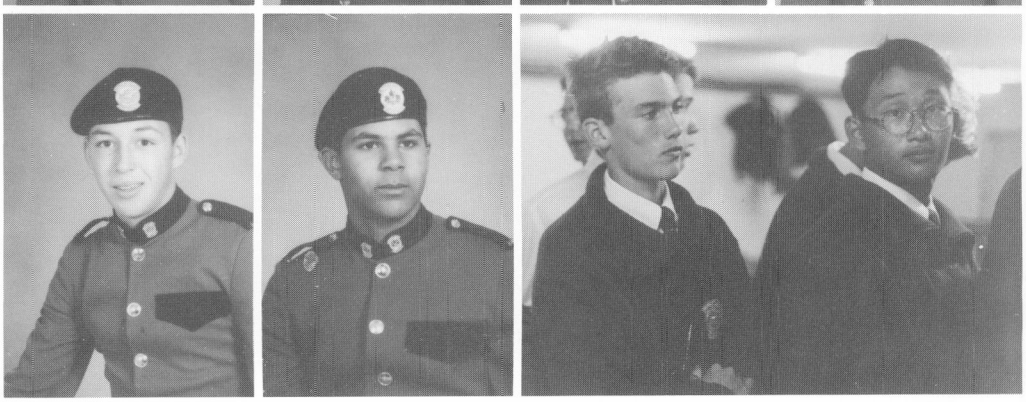
Donald North
Mark Read
Stephen Strachan
Robert Primucci

Bryon Wilson
John Wylie

Andrew Blake
Chris Daisley
Mark Demeny
Shaun Gembus



Charles Godfrey
Jesse Gornall



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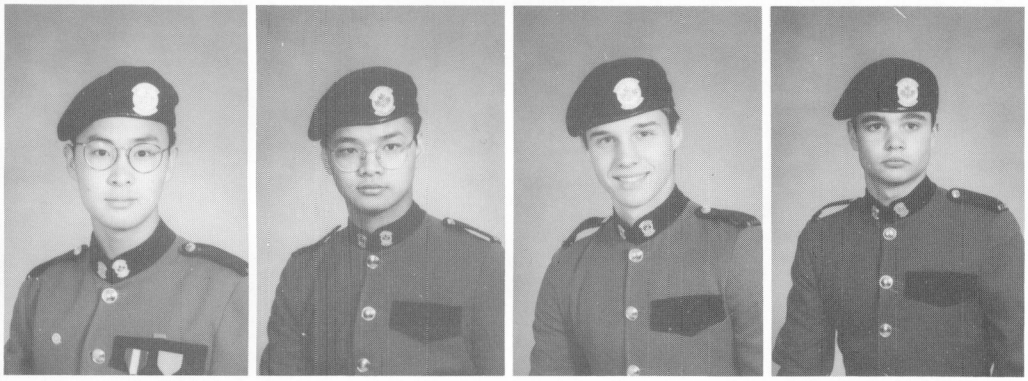
Ben Hermant
Mickael Kelley
David Kouwenberg



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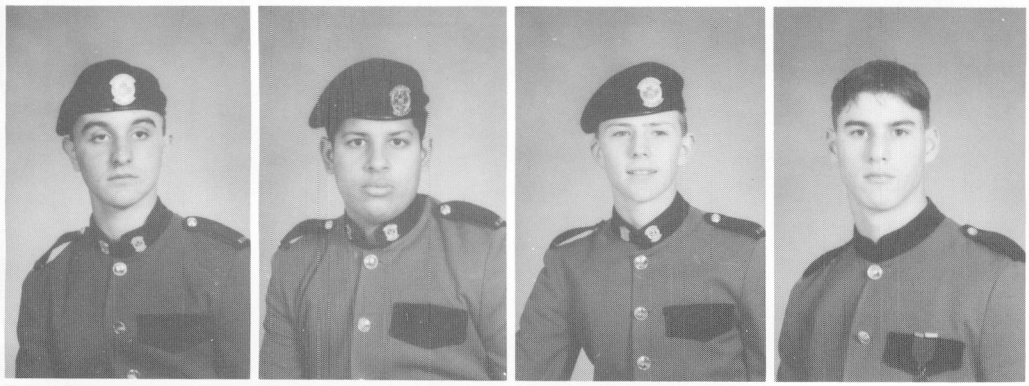
Andy Law
Mark Matyskiewicz
Ryan Mendell

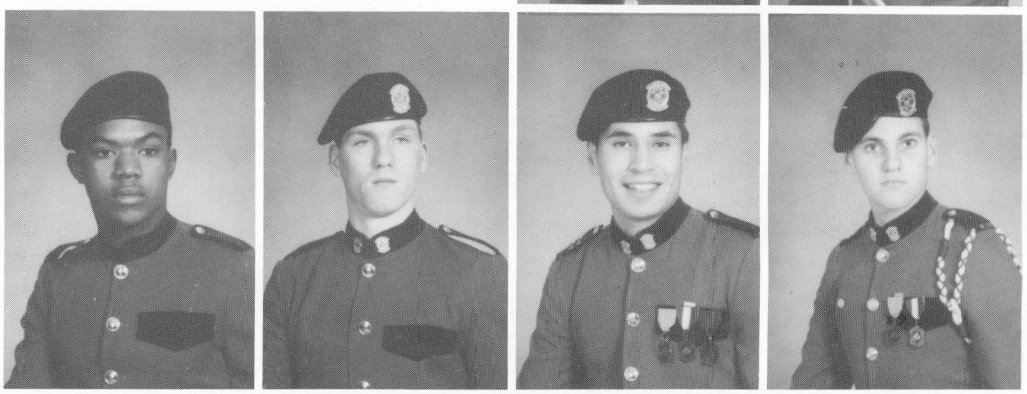


Steven Moore
Damian Moss-Solomon
Christopher Sims
Anthony Soave

Casey Trigiani
Richard Watson
Adrian Wong

Roger Burley
Aaron Cohen

Garth Cowan
Kip Davidson
Ryan Doyle
Pierre Evans



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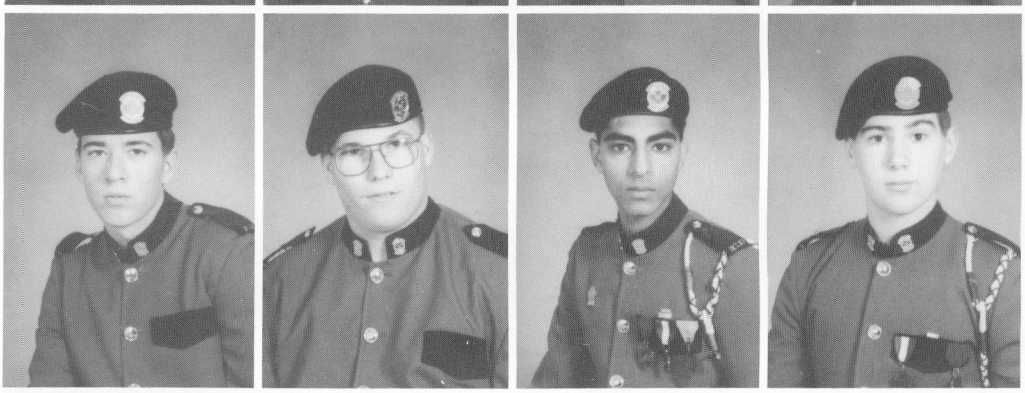
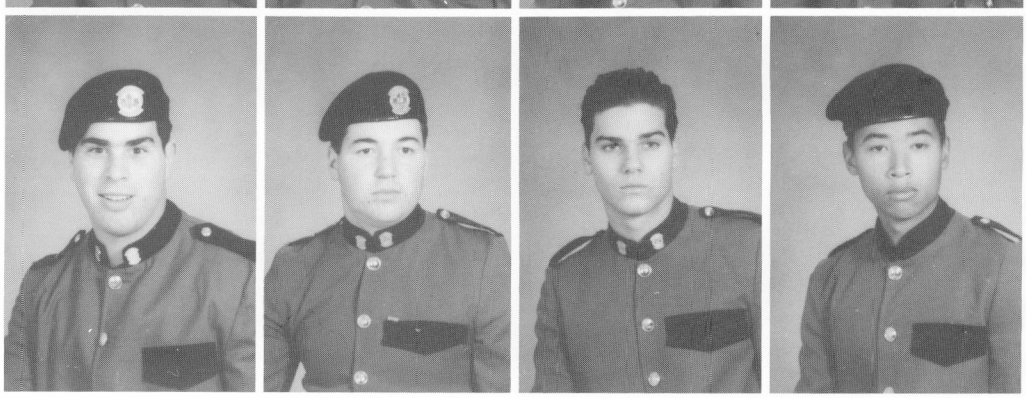
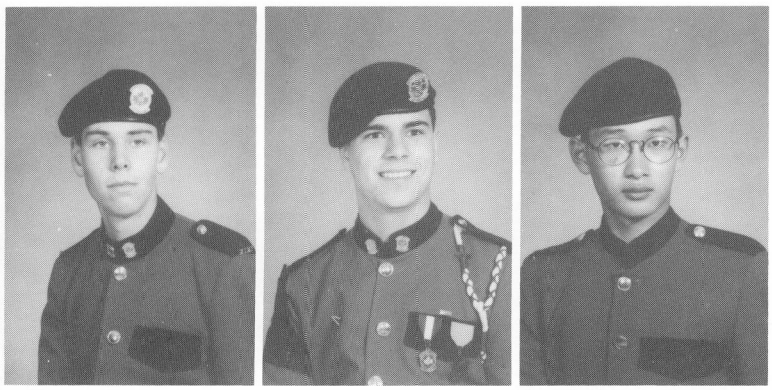
Dean Hayko
Anit Khagram
James King



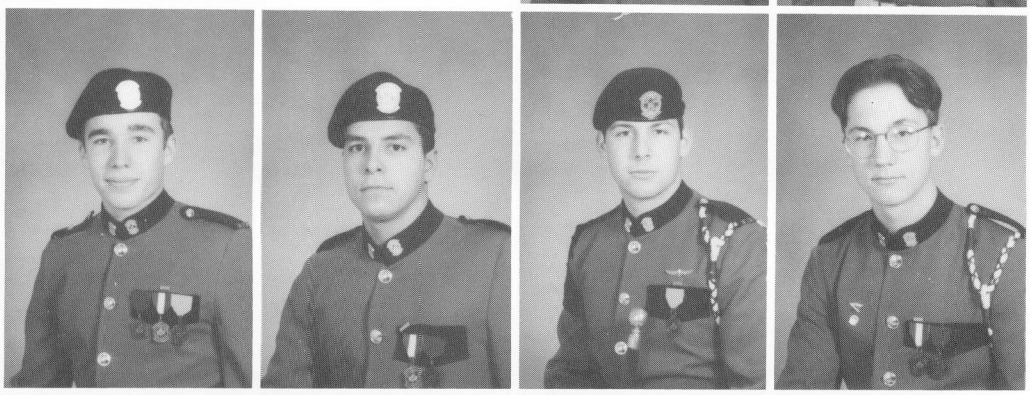
Adam Mandel
Dan Mitchell
Daven Parker
Aaron Shen



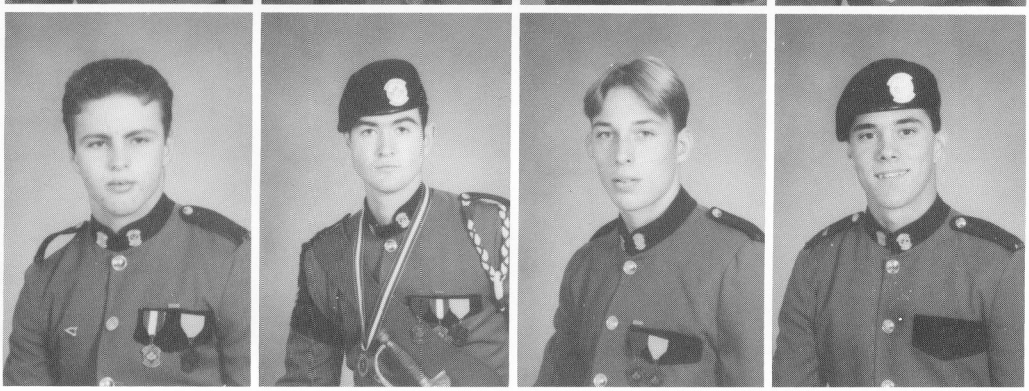


Bryan Simpson
Aaron Spiller
Denys Yien

David Campbell
Martin Connor



Ted Cox
Xavier Desroches
Gordon Douglas
Colin Ferguson



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Tom Glynn
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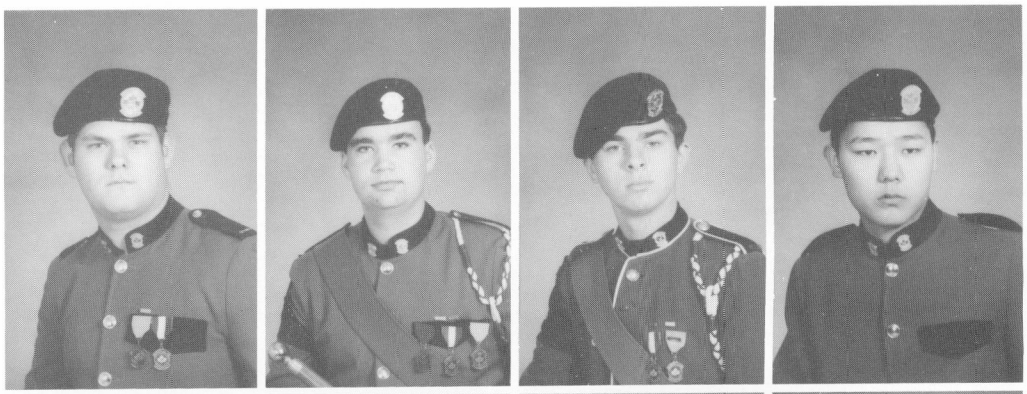
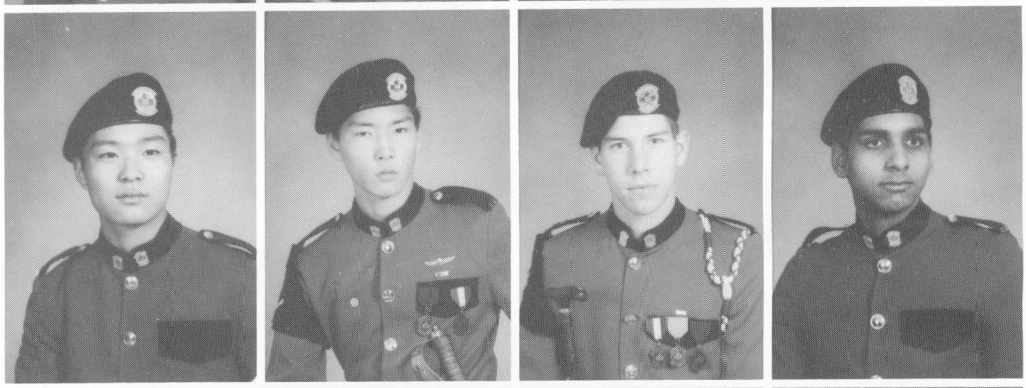
John Hall



Brian Haynes
Ben Hunt
Robert Iwacha
Insup Kim



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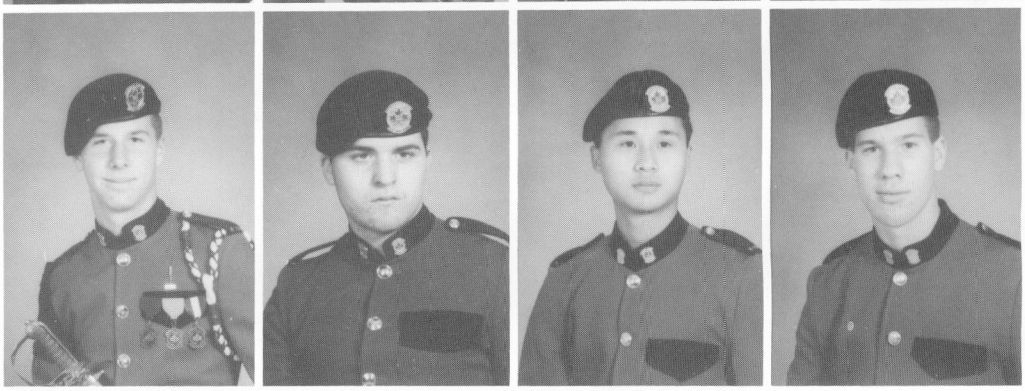
William Kim
Jesse Lacharite
Sandeep Lota



Ryan McLauchlan
Philip Neff
Ignatius Ng
Thomas Peterson

Michael Rosser
Brian Shoer
Jeff Wilcox

ASSISTANT HEADMASTER'S ADDRESS

Each year at the Academy has its own special merit. As the process of development continues, we achieve various milestones in our history as a small private boarding school. I believe that this year we realized our potential for motivating academic excellence. Fabulous progress was made by students in all grade levels and at the senior level we had two students become recognized as Ontario Scholars.

We continue to progress in the restructuring of the Academy to meet the challenges of the 90's. The staff and the program they directed this past year for the boys provided a challenging and motivational experience that will allow our graduates to take responsibility and provide leadership for others.

Next year, we celebrate the 15th Anniversary and we look forward to the opportunity of hosting our Ex-Cadets Club at the Graduation Ceremonies. We often have ex-cadets return to the school throughout the year to praise its profound and lasting effect on their lives and to personally thank the Headmaster for his leadership and guidance. I know that Cadets leaving the Academy this year will also find time later in their lives to support the Academy by helping build a stronger Ex-Cadets Club. It has always been the ex-cadets, their families and friends who have been in the best position to let others know about the Robert Land Academy experience. We don't ignore a young man's difficulties, we solve them.

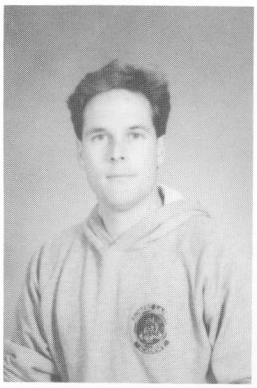
J. Scott W. Hayter
Captain
Assistant Headmaster

Faculty/Staff

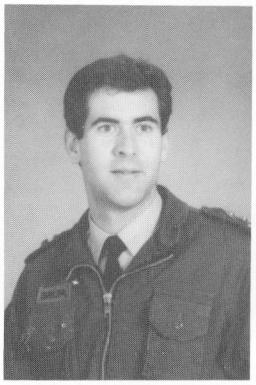
Teachers

B. Alagna
D. Bird

S. Black
K. Burrows
M. Erola
C. Gibson

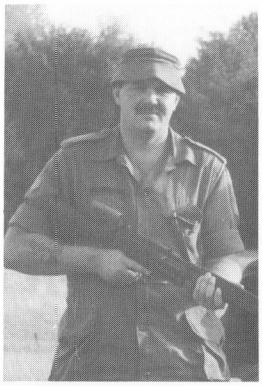


R. Gruhl
Capt. MacKness
D. Maloney
C. Myktchuk

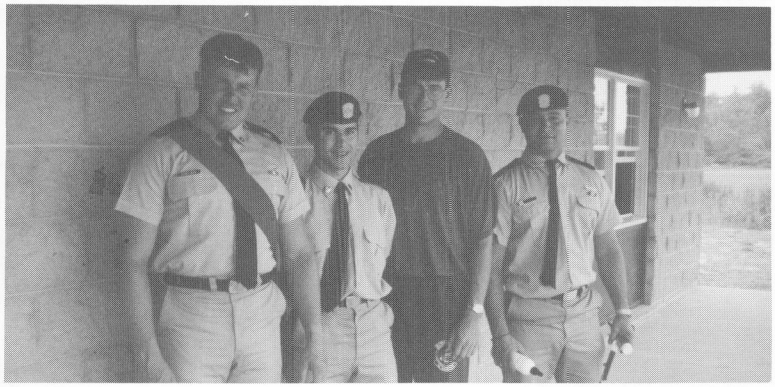


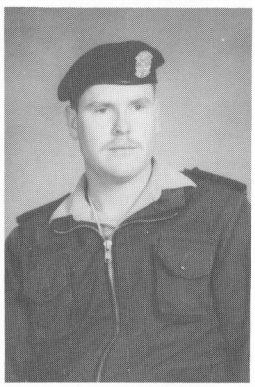
Capt. Tiels
S. Watts
Capt. Vermont

Operations

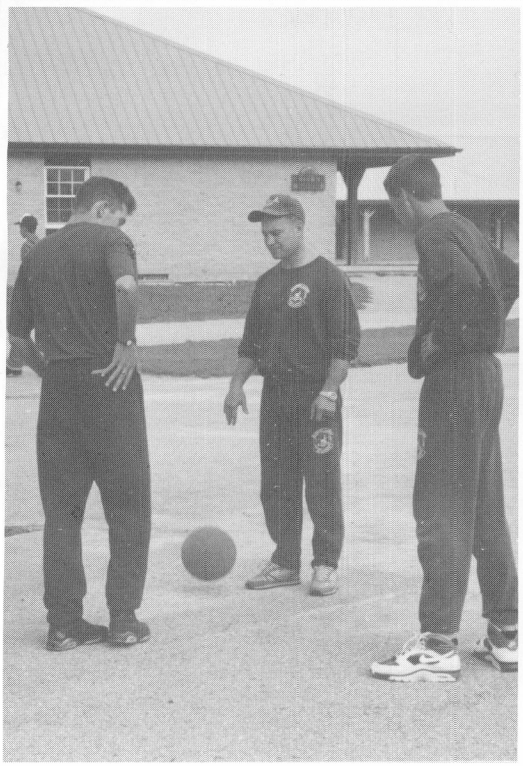


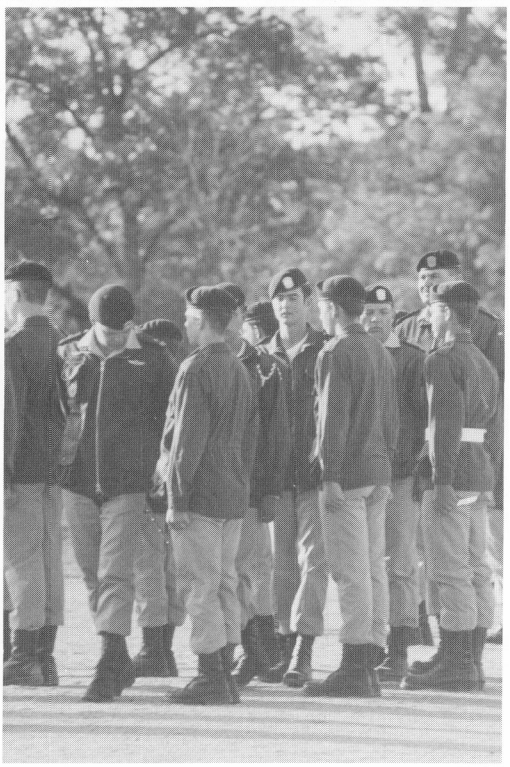
ASM. McAndrews
CSM. Riopelle





CSM. Sinclair
S/S's Read/Stringer
CSM. Zahra
S/S Leblanc



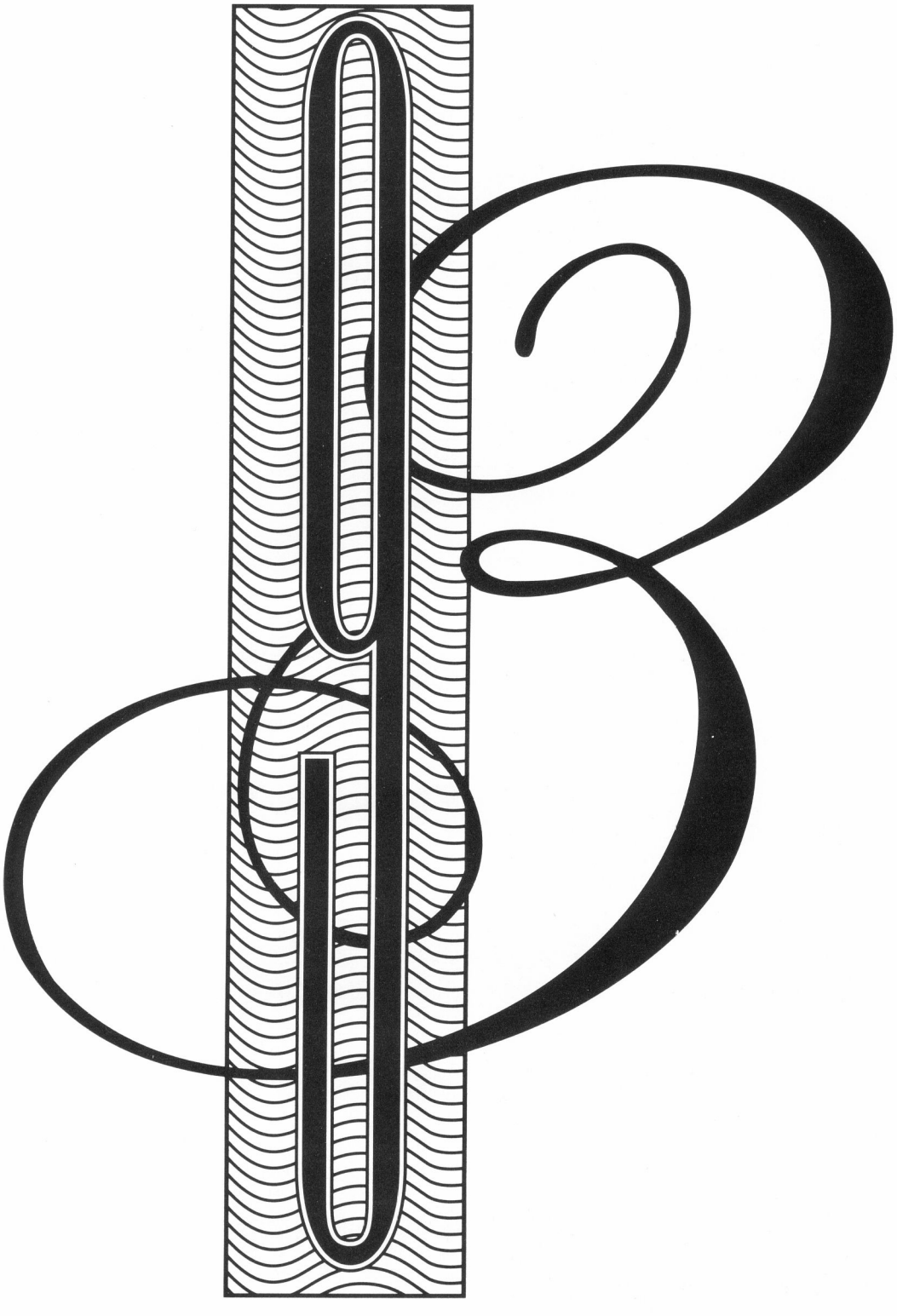


"Just for Laughs"

"So Capt. Hayter, how about a Greatful Dead concert"?

"This won't hurt will it?"

"Co-ed is a great idea Sir!"



ORGANIZATIONS

Junior Basketball/X-Country

LEFT TO RIGHT/TOP TO BOTTOM: Wong, Strachan, Matyskiewicz, Madigan, Mr. Black, Godfrey C., Claus, Jodoin, Mendell, Kouwenberg.

Mr. Gibson, Glynn, Kim W., Ferguson, Hall, Cohen, Godfrey A., Iwacha, Doyle, Ng, Matyskiewics, Kouwenberg, Liu, Demeny, Peterson, Gordon, Gallant D.

Track/X-Country Club

Mr. Gibson, Campbell, Godfrey C., Glynn, Connor, Rosser, Ferguson, Godfrey A., Gallant D., Strachan, Mr. Erola, Burley, Kelley, Daisley, Kim W., Doyle, Matyskiewics.

Doyle, Mr. Gibson, Connor, Glynn, Hunt, Cohen, Godfrey A., Gallant D.

Scuba/Para

Mr. Gibson, Glynn, King, Watson, Kouwenberg, Demeny, Sims, Partridge, Kim W.

Davidson, Rosser, Godfrey A., Kim W., McLauchlan, Wilcox, Kim I., Douglas.

Weight Lifting/Jiu Jitsu

Kim W., Capt. Mackness, Ferguson, Shoer, Mandell, Mitchell, Campbell, Lau, Moss-Solomon, Watson, Gallant D.

McDonald, Cohen, Madigan, King, Leggett, Gornall, Simpson, Burley, Cowan, Lau, Ng, Evans, Jodoin, Moss-Solomon, Sims, Strachan, Yien.

Band/RCAC

Mathers, King, Mr. Maloney, Matyskiewics, Godfrey, Watson, Doyle

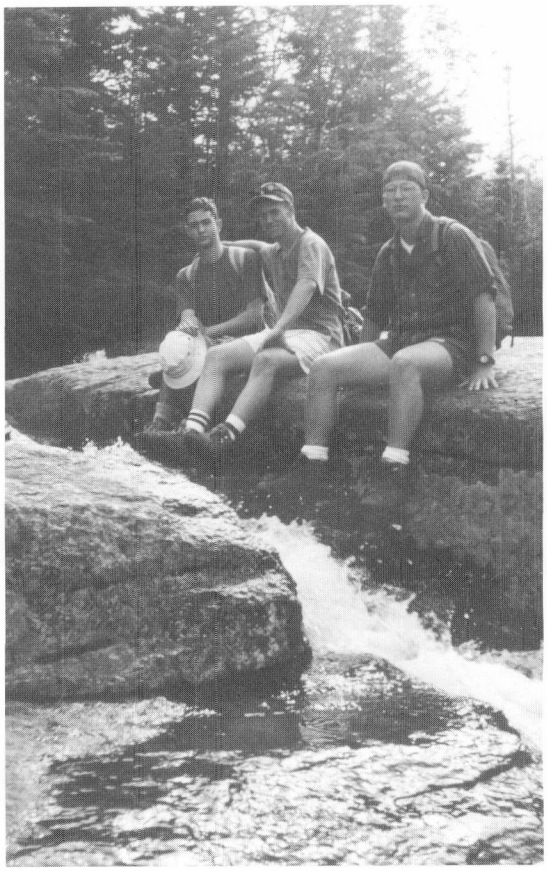
Mr. Erola, Watson, Evans, Iwacha, Kouwenberg, Lau, Leggett, Kim, Soave.

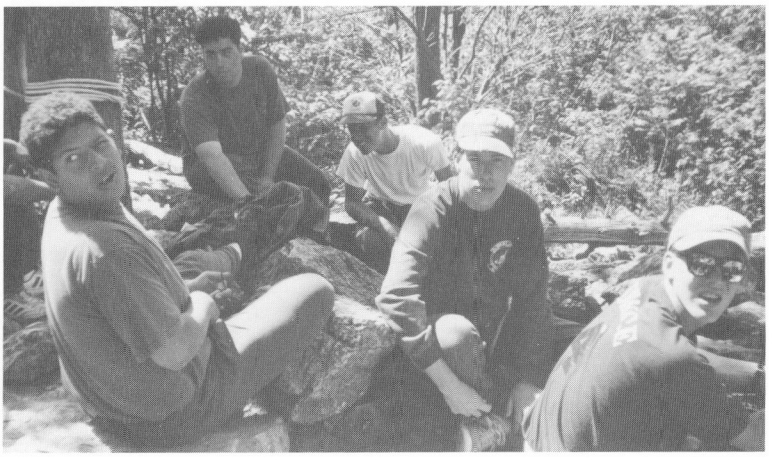
Model Club/Yearbook

Mr. Gibson, Wilson, Mitchell, Spiller, Connor, Sims, Kelley, Evans, Partridge, Leggett, Dasilva, Gallant S., Hart, Kouwenberg, North, Mitchell.

Mr. Alagna, Simpson, Watson, Kelley, Haynes, Mr. Erola.

The Niagara Challenge





Never Ending Love

There's an endless love that's in us all,
A built in love that isn't small,
But there's one love that stands out from the rest,
The love for your family and those who you know best.
It's a glowing love that's in your soul,
And if it's gone you feel this bottomless hole.
You must put something in the space,
Some fun, laughter, anything to take its place.
Once it's been filled totally in,
Love in you is racing faster than adrenaline
This type of love can heal the most deadly scar
A lovers' quarrel, bond any friendship by far.
I say this love can never end,
For this type of love will always mend.

The Soul Stealer

There are two types of people, the first is greedy and will always want more,
The second patiently waits to see what's behind the next door,
The first one is the soul stealer and feeds off money and power
The second is the prey and is happy with a quiet hour.
Soul stealers take a piece of it's prey's popularity every day
Slowly the defenceless prey's popularity is washed away
Preys are left without any peace, never again to have a quiet time,
For the prey will always hear the voice of the soul stealer as he commits his crime.

Poems by: Ted Cox

Truth, Lies, Reality

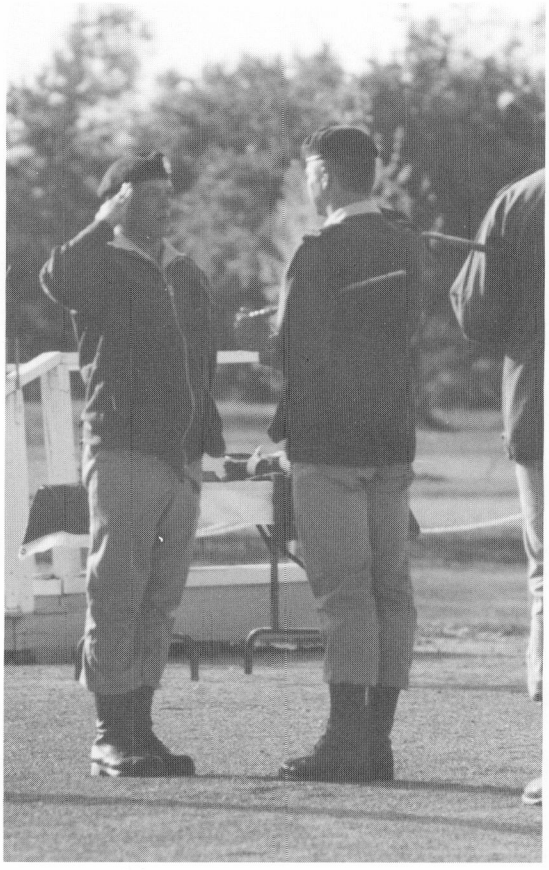
The truth is what you make it,
You can make the mind believe what you want it to,
But soon you don't know the difference between truth and lies.
Reality becomes distorted,
You turned,
To what used to be open,
Is now a brick wall,
You ask who built this?
But no one answers.
You are so blinded by the lies,
That once again,
The truth,
The reality,
Is masked from your eyes.
You don't see the Light,
You don't see yourself in the mirror,
You see others.
Until you do,
The truth is the lies,
And reality is only a dream.

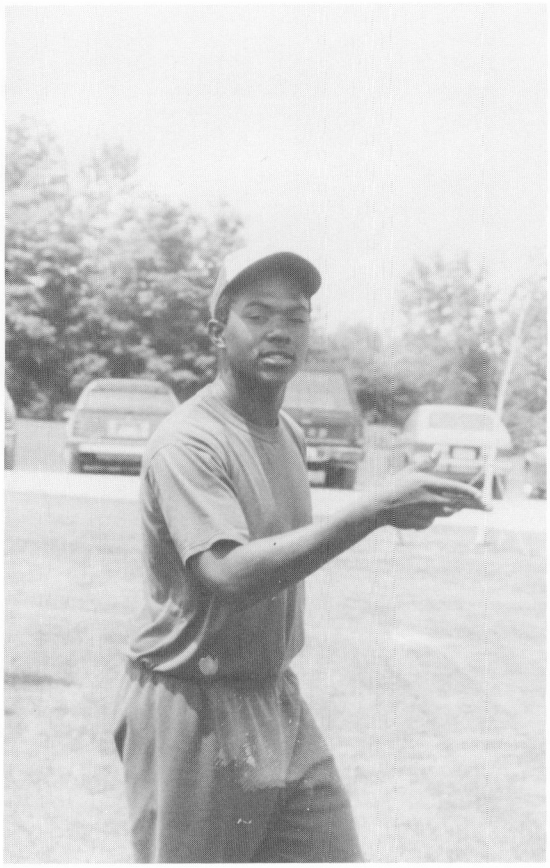
Only Time

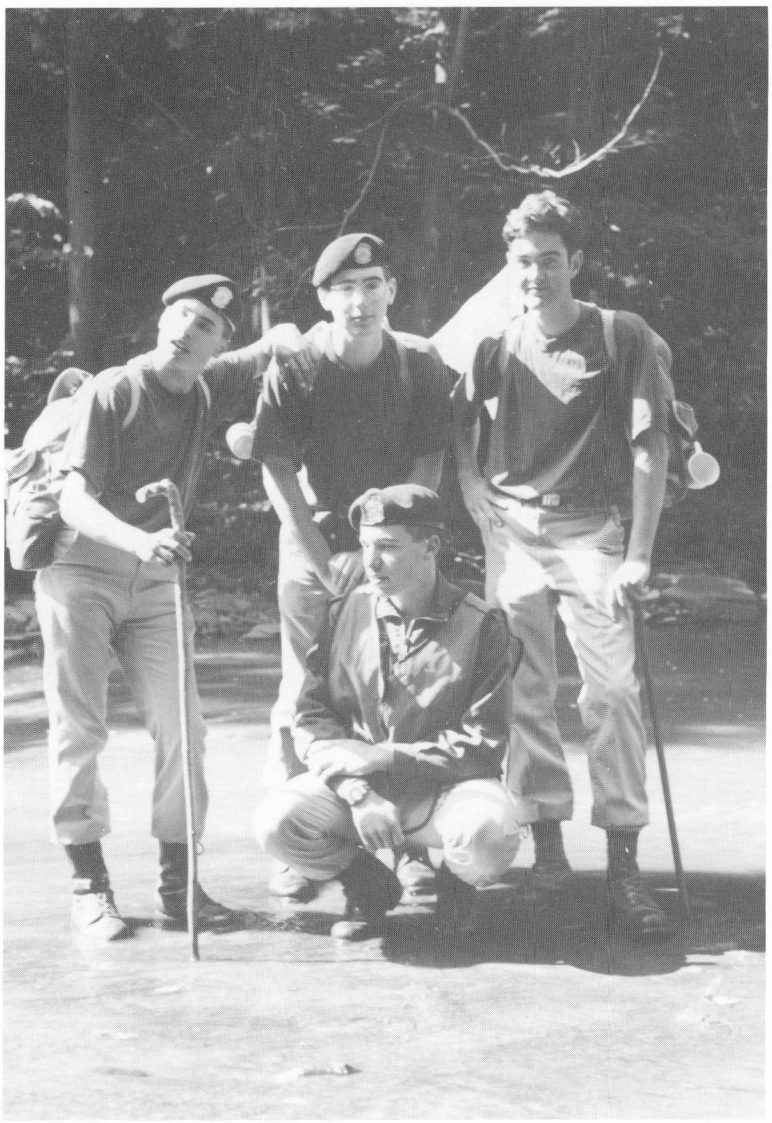
There's a driving feeling that I must express,
I at first was very unsure,
Not knowing what I wanted,
Not knowing if it was safe to venture once more,
Into the realms of uncertainty.
The shell hard formed,
Over the many days of slow withdrawal from the world,
Slowly began to crack,
Exposing the fragile life inside,
Once again to the bright sun.
To the once shattered life inside,
Now able to look at the world from behind shaded eyes,
It seemed that only time was the pleasure,
Only time was the pain.
Yet time had brought a new element to life,
But just as time is forgiving,
I stand exposed once again,
Wondering if it . . . Time
Will once again cast darkness upon my world.

Poems by: Dan Mitchell

Memories . . .







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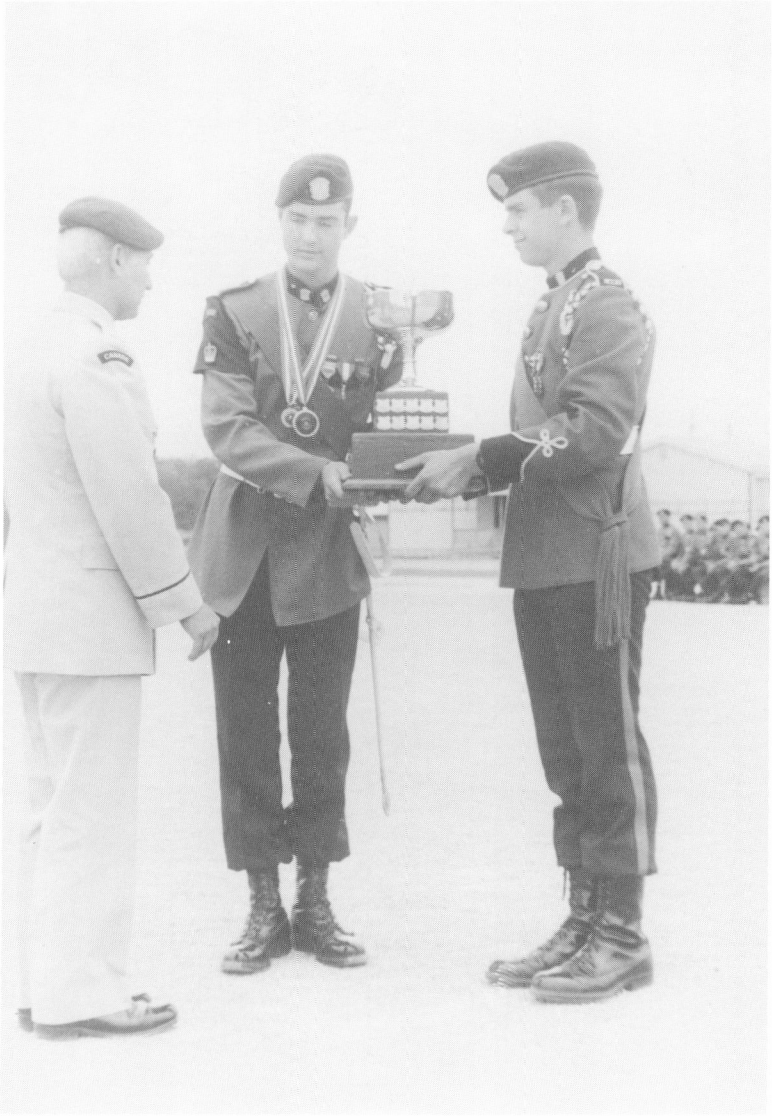
Graduation Day



Our Graduates

OSSD Graduates	*OAC Graduates*
Kip Davidson	Jesse Lacharite
Xavier Desrochers	Sandeep Lota
Gordon Douglas	Philip Neff
Darly Gallant	Thomas Peterson
Insup Kim	Rajesh Taneja
William Kim	
Ignatius Ng	
Brian Shoer	
Jeff Wilcox	

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Special Awards Presented
Graduation Day
June 19, 1993

1. HEADMASTER'S MEDAL & TROPHY	- M/CPL CORPORAL RYAN MCLAUCHLAN
2. ROBERT LAND TROPHY	- WO THOMAS GLYNN
3. W.L. HAWKINS AWARD	- SGT GORDON DOUGLAS
4. BILLY BISHOP AWARD	- CADET SEAN LEGGETT
5. JOHN HAY TO LIFE AWARD	- BARMAN ALEX GODFREY
6. PAUL HUNTER GOLD CITIZENSHIP	- D/BARMAN PIERRE EVANS
7. HEADBOY	- WO THOMAS GLYNN
8. PARADE SERGEANT MAJOR	- SGT BEN HUNT
9. GOVERNOR GENERAL'S AWARD	- RCT PHILIP NEFF
10. CANADIAN FORESTERS' AWARD	- D/BARMAN COLIN FERGUSON
11. ATHLETE OF THE YEAR	- CPL MICHAEL ROSSER
12. ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION DUNNVILLE BRANCH 142 BURSARY/RCAC SERVICE AWARD	- L/CPL ROBERT IWACHA
13. ROYAL BANK LITERARY PRIZE	- CADET INSUP KIM
14. SENIOR MATHEMATICS PRIZE	- RCT PHILIP NEFF
15. JOE CHAPMAN FRONT LINE MUSKETRY AWARD	- BARMAN JAMES KING
16. MARTIAL ARTS AWARD	- BARMAN WILLIAM LAU

"What is a man,
If his chief good and market of his time
Be but to sleep and feed? A beast, no more.
Sure he that made us with such large discourse,
Looking before and after, gave us not
That capability and godlike reason
To fust in us unused."

Hamlet, Act IV, sc.iv.

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